

REMARKS

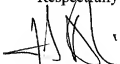
The Office Action of April 5, 2006, allowed claims 12, 15, 31-44, and 55. In response to the allowance claims 12, 15, 31-44, and 55, Applicants have cancelled all of the rejected claims leaving only allowed claims 12, 15, 31-44, and 55. Applicants believe that the case is therefore in condition for allowance and respectfully request a notice of allowance in this case.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit Deposit Account No. 09-0447 for any fees required or overpaid.

Respectfully submitted,

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